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**AMENDMENT/REPLY**

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Dear Sir:

**Telephonic Examiner Interview Summary**

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the telephonic Examiner Interview of May 26, 2006, between Applicants representative Patrick G. Billig and Examiner Dung Dinh. In the interview attorney Billig and Examiner Dinh discussed how the below amendments distinguish the independent claims from the cited references. Examiner Dinh, however, indicated that these amendments would require a new search and consideration.

**Amendment/Reply**

This Amendment/Reply accompanies the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) 37 CFR 1.114 and is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed March 30, 2006 and the telephonic Examiner Interview on May 26, 2006. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: